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Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to implement Bharat Nirman Rashtriya Rozgar Yojana in the country;

(b) if so, the details and salient features thereof; and

(c) the number of persons are likely to be benefited during the year 2008 under said scheme?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI OSCAR FERNANDES)

(a) to (c): There is no such proposal under consideration of the Government. However, National Rural Employment Guarantee Act, 2005 (NREGA) is being implemented in 330 districts at present and is to cover all the rural districts of the country with effect from 01.04.2008. 2.57 crore households have been provided employment during current financial year till December, 2007.